

IN THE CLAIMS:

The following is a complete listing of claims in this application.

1. (previously presented) A bag made of a downproof fabric comprising a polyester fabric having a total cover factor of not lower than 1600 and a mass per unit area of not higher than 45 g/m², the fabric having been treated by calendering,

wherein said polyester fabric is composed of polyester multifilament A yarns having a total fineness of not higher than 25 dtex (decitex) and a single yarn fineness of not higher than 2.0 dtex and multifilament B yarns having a total fineness of not lower than 35 dtex,

wherein the arrangements of the respective yarns in the warp and weft directions are such that the yarn constitution ratio "B yarn/A yarn" is 1/4 to 1/20 (number of yarns-to-number of yarns ratio) and

wherein the A yarn-to-B yarn pitches are not longer than 7 mm.

2. (previously presented) The bag according to claim 1, wherein the B yarns are paralleled yarns.

3. (previously presented) The bag according to claim 1, wherein the polyester fabric has a tear strength of not lower than 7 N in each of the warp and weft directions and an air permeability of not higher than 1.2 cc/cm²/sec.

Claims 4-5 (canceled).

6. (previously presented) A warmth retaining material which comprises the bag according to claim 1 and a warmth retaining mass packed in said bag.

7. (previously presented) The bag according to claim 2, wherein the polyester fabric has a tear strength of not lower than 7 N in each of the warp and weft directions and an air

permeability of not higher than 1.2 cc/cm²/sec.

Claims 8-9 (canceled).

10. (previously presented) A warmth retaining material which comprises the bag according to claim 2 and a warmth retaining mass packed in said bag.

11. (previously presented) The bag according to claim 1, wherein the polyester fabric has a thickness of 0.065 mm or less.

12. (new) The bag according to claim 1, wherein said calendaring fills interstitial spaces in the fabric.

13. (new) The bag according to claim 1, wherein the fabric has a softness parameter of at least 70 mm, according to test method JIS L 1096 Bending resistance testing 6.19.4 Method D (heart loop method).